

Cause for Celebration

2000 Investment Projects

COMPANY ^{1,2}	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	SUPPORT	
		AMOUNT ³	TYPE
AFRICA AND THE MIDDLE EAST			
Algeria			
Petrofac Resources (Ohanet) LLC	Gas field development and production	\$93,000,000	Insurance
Angola			
Perini International Corp. (Sociedade Nacional de Combustiveis de Angola)	Fuel storage, piping and filling facilities	\$5,315,391	Insurance
Equatorial Guinea			
CMS Gas Transmission Company (Atlantic Methanol Production Company LLC)	Methanol plant	\$173,000,000	Finance
Ethiopia			
Norwest Mine Services, Inc. (Coal Phosphate Fertilizer Complex Project)	Feasibility study	\$7,200	Insurance
Ghana			
International Foundation for Education & Self-Help (Peoples Investment Fund for Africa (PIFA))	Micro lending facility for small businesses	\$1,000,000	Finance
South Africa			
Ritz-Carlton Hotel Company, LLC (Ritz-Carlton at Spier)	Hotel	\$26,500,000	Finance
Zimbabwe			
K & S International, Inc./Sheffield Laboratories, a Division of Faria, Ltd. (Merodent Zimbabwe (Pvt.) Ltd.)	Toothpaste manufacturing facility	\$1,000,000	Insurance
ASIA AND THE PACIFIC			
Papua New Guinea			
P.I.E. Group, LLC (E.P. InterOil, Ltd.)	Crude oil refinery	\$85,000,000	Finance
Philippines			
Edison Mission Energy (CBK Power Company Limited)	Gas-fired power generation	\$75,000,000	Insurance
Vietnam			
OPV International, Inc. (OPV Vietnam Ltd.)	Pharmaceutical manufacturing facility	\$8,000,000	Finance

¹ This list shows all new, expansion or modernization projects OPIC committed to insure and/or finance in fiscal year 2000.

² Companies listed are the U.S. project sponsors. With the exception of certain projects, including but not limited to capital markets, bid bond projects, or oil and gas projects, the name of the project appears in parentheses immediately following the U.S. project sponsor(s).

³ For insurance, this figure is the highest maximum insured amount. For finance, this figure is the dollar amount committed.



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OPIC products and services help American businesses of all sizes pursue investment projects in developing countries around the world.

COMPANY ^{1 2}	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	SUPPORT AMOUNT ³	TYPE
EUROPE AND THE NEW INDEPENDENT STATES			
Bulgaria			
Entergy Corporation (Maritza East III Power Company AD)	Modernization of existing power plant	\$100,000,000	Insurance
Europe Regional			
Southeast Europe Equity Fund, LTD	Investment fund	\$100,000,000	Finance
Georgia			
Nevis Corporation (Joint Stock Company Hotel Tbilisi)	Hotel and mixed-use building	\$26,000,000	Finance
Hungary			
Rami Zohar (Wendy's Hungary)	Franchise of fast food restaurant	\$900,000	Finance
Russia			
Abamedia, L.P. (Abamedia, L.P.)	Electronic catalog/ website for motion pictures	\$632,800	Finance
MTV Russia Holdings Inc. (Wayfarer Media Limited)	Television broadcasting	\$50,000,000	Insurance
Turkey			
InterGen (Adapazari Elektrik Uretim Ltd. Sirketi)	Gas-fired power generation	\$76,000,000	Finance
InterGen (Gebze Elektrik Uretim Ltd. Sirketi)	Gas-fired power generation	\$123,000,000	Finance
InterGen (Izmir Elektrik Uretim Ltd. Sirketi)	Gas-fired power generation	\$101,000,000	Finance
Istanbul International Community School (Istanbul International Community School, Inc.)	School	\$7,000,000	Finance
Ritz-Carlton (RC) Hotel Company, LLC (Guarantor) (Dolmabahce Turizm A.S. (Ritz-Carlton Hotel))	Hotel	\$50,000,000	Finance
THE AMERICAS			
Argentina			
BankBoston, N.A. (Argentine Branch of BankBoston, N.A.)	General branch banking	\$47,000,000	Insurance
BankBoston, N.A. (Sociedad de Inversiones Inmobiliarias del Puerto S.A.)	Office building	\$23,300,000	Insurance
Citibank, N.A. (Empresa Distribuidora y Comercializadora Norte, S.A.)	Power generation	\$140,000,000	Insurance
Brazil			
Bank of America, N.A. (BCP S.A.)	Cellular telecommunications services	\$200,000,000	Insurance

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Citibank, N.A. (Celular CRT, S.A.)	Cellular telecommunications services	\$50,000,000	Insurance
Citibank, N.A. (Empresa Brasileira de Telecomunicacoes S.A.)	Cellular telecommunications services	\$100,000,000	Insurance
Hyatt International Corp. (Morumby Hoteis Ltda.)	Hotel	\$61,000,000	Finance
Union Oil Company of California (Pescada-Arabaiana)	Offshore oil and gas field development	\$100,000,000	Insurance
Central America			
Ganzcorp Investments Inc.	Vehicle emission & safety testing facilities	\$765,000	Insurance
Costa Rica			
Ervin F. Portman (Weststar Medical Company/ Estrella de Precision Tecnologica S.A.)	Medical device manufacturing and distribution facility	\$360,000	Finance
Dominican Rep.			
AES Corp (AES Andres, B.V.)	Gas-fired power generation	\$25,000,000	Insurance
Guatemala			
Enron Corporation (Puerto Quetzal Power LLC)	Gas-fired power generation	\$50,000,000	Finance
Jamaica			
Citibank, N.A. (Cable & Wireless Jamaica Limited)	Cellular telecommunications services	\$40,000,000	Insurance
Latin America Regional			
PriceSmart, Inc. (PriceSmart, Inc.)	Warehouse retail merchandising	\$10,000,000	Finance
Wavelink Systems, Inc. (Wavelink Systems, Inc.)	Wireless telecom services	\$1,040,000	Finance
Nicaragua			
Roberto Zamora (Latin American Financial Services Corp. (LAFISE))	Mortgage banking	\$30,000,000	Finance
Panama			
Rick Anderson (Global Design, S.A.)	Franchise of Mail Boxes Etc.	\$115,200	Finance
Trinidad & Tobago			
Ionics, Incorporated (Desalination Company of Trinidad & Tobago)	Desalination facility	\$53,400,000	Finance
Venezuela			
Caterpillar Financial Services Corp (Consolidada de Ferrys C.A.)	Passenger ferry	\$47,000,000	Insurance

2000 Investment Funds' Projects

0 PIC-supported privately managed private equity investment funds provide long-term growth capital, management expertise, and new technologies, while supporting adoption of international standards of reporting, transparency and adherence to environmental and worker rights standards all to promote private sector growth, fundamental to the development of emerging market economies. OPIC supported funds operate in every region of the world. Current OPIC supported funds include:¹

Africa Growth Fund	India Private Equity Fund
Agribusiness Partners International	InterArab Investment Fund
AIG Brunswick Millennium Fund	Israel Growth Fund
Allied Small Business Fund	Modern Africa Growth and Investment Fund
Aqua International Partners	Newbridge Andean Partners, L.P.
Asia Development Partners, L.P.	New Century Capital Partners, L.P.
Asia Pacific Growth Fund	Poland Partners, L.P.
Bancroft Eastern Europe Fund	Russia Partners
Caucasus Fund	South America Private Equity Growth Fund
Draper International India	Southeast Europe Equity Fund
Emerging Europe Fund	West Bank/Gaza & Jordan Fund
Global Environment Emerging Markets Fund	ZM Africa Investment Fund
Global Environment Emerging Markets Fund, II	

¹ This list does not include two OPIC funds that have completed operations.

In 2000, OPIC-supported funds invested \$318 million in 154 projects around the globe (with an average investment of \$2.1 million per project). Highlights from these projects are:²

PORTFOLIO COMPANY	COUNTRY	DESCRIPTION
AFRICA AND THE MIDDLE EAST		
Comstar Cellular Cote d'Ivoire, S.A.	Cote D'Ivoire	Telecommunications
Warsun International Communications Corporation	Africa regional	Telecommunications
Communications Networks of Africa, Ghana Limited	Ghana	Telecommunications
Compugen	Israel	Bio-informatics & genomics computing
Foxcom Wireless	Israel	In-building wireless coverage solution
Emation	Israel	Nonferrous wiredrawing & insulating
Liquid Africa	Africa regional	Security brokers and dealers
IPBI Water Limited Liability Company	Uganda	Bottled soft drinks
ASIA AND THE PACIFIC		
HDFC Bank	India	Commercial Banks
LexSite.com Ltd.	India	Online legal information, resources, & services website
Rediff.com	India	Internet portal
KEBCS Joint Venture	Korea (South)	Credit card services
Modern Asia Environmental	Thailand & Indonesia	Waste management services
THE AMERICAS		
Companhia de Gas de Sao Paulo	Brazil	Natural gas distribution
Renewable Resources Ibener	Chile	Electric services
Carulla Vivero S.A.	Colombia	Multi-format retailer
Veninfo Tel LLC	Venezuela	Voice, data, & video broadband communications
NEW INDEPENDENT STATES AND EUROPE		
Nisla Sia (Lativa Real Estate Development)	Latvia	Nonresidential building operators
Sidrabe	Latvia	Electrical equipment & supplies
ROMGSM	Romania	Telecommunications
RDT Holdings SA	Romania	Telecommunications
Borispol	Ukraine	Cereal breakfast foods
Global Estates	Ukraine	Nonresidential building operators
Univermag Ukraina	Ukraine	Department stores

² These projects are a sampling of projects in which OPIC-supported investment funds invested during fiscal year 2000.